

# Sargasso Sea Journal

## Color in Shells

Look at the shells in the collection. Draw a picture of a shell that is a color you like:

I chose the color \_\_\_\_\_

Pick a shell with a different shape. What colors is it? \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

Draw the shell here:

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## Shell Shapes

Find 6 shells and match them to the right card by their shapes.

How many geometric shapes can you find in the shells here?

Circles \_\_\_\_\_

Squares \_\_\_\_\_

Rectangles \_\_\_\_\_

Triangles \_\_\_\_\_

Pentagons (5 sided) \_\_\_\_\_

Hexagons (6 sided) \_\_\_\_\_

Octagons (8 sided) \_\_\_\_\_

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## What's in a Name?

Look at the shells and find the matching card for at least 7 specimens. Can you see the similarity between the sea animal and the item that it is named for? \_\_\_\_\_

List 5 sea animals and what is the same between each animal and the object it is named for - shape, color, design?

Animal name

Similarity

_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
_____	_____
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## Prickles, Barbs and Darts

Look at the specimens and read about their defenses. Match the animals and their defenses in the chart below.

LIST #1

Blue Crab \_\_\_\_\_

Sea Star \_\_\_\_\_

Moon Snail \_\_\_\_\_

Sea Urchin \_\_\_\_\_

Scallop \_\_\_\_\_

Porcupine Fish \_\_\_\_\_

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LIST #2

Cone Shell \_\_\_\_\_

Shark \_\_\_\_\_

Stingray \_\_\_\_\_

Pipefish \_\_\_\_\_

Lightning Whelk \_\_\_\_\_

Conch \_\_\_\_\_